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THE RISE, PROGRESS, & CONSEQUENCES OF THE NEW OPINIONS & PRINCIPLES LATELY INTRODUCED INTO FRANCE, WITH OBSERVATIONS.
(Dedicated to the Earl of Darnley.)

Giving a concise but more complete account than any which has yet been published of the means employed by the French and German Philosophers, Free Masons, Illuminati, and their Associates in Great Britain and Ireland, for diffusing irreligious and antiauthoritative principles, and for overturning all the regular governments of the world. Observations are introduced on the ends and duties of governments, and on the importance of an established religion.

STATE-LOTTERY OFFICES,
No. 4 CORNHILL, LONDON,
AND
MARKET-STREET-LANE, MANCHESTER.

T. BISH respectfully acquaints the Public, That TICKETS and SHARES for the ensuing JULY IRISH LOTTERY are now selling in great Variety at his old-established Office, as above.

CAPITAL PRIZES Sold by T. BISH, in the late and present Year.

In Shares.	In Whole Tickets.
No. 279 L. 20,000	No. 7,108 L. 20,000
30,342 20,000	24,270 20,000
40,196 20,000	42,445 20,000
19,942 10,000	28,723 10,000
19,946 5,000	4,330 5,000
19,979 2,000	13,041 2,000
6,717 1,000	13,041 1,000
9,468 1,000	30,114 1,000
1,453 500	23,798 500

Country Correspondents may have Tickets and Shares sent them, by enclosing Bank Notes, Post-Office Orders, Cash, or good Bills at short dates, with their Orders, post or carriage paid.

Bank, India, South-Sea, Imperial, and Irish Stocks, with their several Annuities, Exchequer Bills, and every other kind of Government Securities bought and sold by Commission—and the current price for all Prizes paid on demand.

The Lottery begins drawing the 23d of July.

WESTMINSTER SOCIETY.
FOR INSURANCE ON LIVES AND SURVIVORSHIPS AND GRANTING ANNUITIES.
Established 1794. No. 419, Strand—LONDON.

ROBERT LADSWICK, Esq. Chairman.

WILLIAM MORLAND, Esq. M. P. Deputy Chairman.

R. SKELTON, Secretary.

Mr Pitt, in the late discussion on the Income Bill, recommended to Parliament, which its wisdom thought proper to adopt,

Clause the 5th, in General Deduction from Income.

"Persons who have made or shall make insurance on their respective lives, or on the lives of their respective wives, shall be at liberty, in addition to any other deductions, to deduct the amount of the Premium of such Insurance for the current year."

The attention of the Legislature to the prudent arrangement of every man's affairs to provide for his wife, children, and dependents, renders it unnecessary to detail the advantages resulting from Life Insurance, as a measure of property. The Society have only to refer to their Printed Proposals for the terms and conditions, which may be had gratis.

This Society do not charge any Addition of Premium for Persons in a Volunteer Corps and Allocations, nor even in the Militia, provided their military services are confined to Great Britain.

THIS Society, finding that the business of their Institution has extended itself very considerably, have been able to make a great diminution in their Premiums upon Lives, &c. which are now rated as in the first class annexed.

For the convenience of the Public, they have appointed as their Agents

ROBERT ALLAN & SON, EDINBURGH.

JOHN BUCHANAN, jun. Merchant, GLASGOW.

Of whom every information may be had, either for Insurances or Annuities, and by whom Annuities will be paid, and printed proposals given out gratis.

Premiums for insuring, too, on the life of a healthy person, within the limits of Europe, but not upon the seas:

Age.	One Year.	Seven Years.	Life.
8	L. s. d. 18 8 6	L. s. d. 1 2 6	L. s. d. 1 19 6
16	10 10 1	1 10 1	2 1 8
20	8 8 1	1 10 1	2 1 8
30	14 11 1	1 10 1	2 1 8
40	2 2 8	2 6 7	3 11 3
50	2 17 10	3 3 8	4 14 6
60	4 2 0	4 11 6	6 13 8
67	5 10 9	6 11 5	9 0 8

Thus, a person of the age of 20, by an annual payment of 22s. 7s. 6d. or 2l. 5s. 9d. per cent. during the continuance of his life, may secure, at his death, 1000l. to his widow, children, or any one he pleases.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
BY AUCTION.

There will be sold by public roup, on Friday the 3d day of July, in a Lodging No. 28, North Frederick Street, west side, a NEAT and Clean Assortment of Dining-room, Draw- ing-room, Bed-room, and Kitchen Furniture, with Cupboard Articles; and particularly a set of Table Coloured China. Several Fine Mirrors of first quality and large dimensions.

Sale to begin each day at 11 o'clock, and to continue till all is sold off.

JEWELRY & SILVER PLATE.

To be sold by auction, by WILLIAM BRUCE, at Mr Martin's Sale Room, South Bridge, on Thursday the 4th of July; and two following days.

A NEAT Assortment of SILVER PLATE & JEWELLERY GOODS, being the Stock in trade of a person retired from business.

Catalogues to be had at William Bruce and Sons, No. 37 North Bridge.

The sale to begin each day at 12 o'clock noon.

SHOP AND HOUSES
In Cross Causeway, Edinburgh.

To be sold by roup, in John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Friday the 12th of July 1799, at five o'clock afternoon, THAT FRONT TENEMENT, and those three Tenements of Land at the back thereof, situated in the Cross Causeway, Edinburgh; possessed by Mr Balmain, baker, and other tenants, adjoining to and on the west side of the shop, possessed by Mr Livingston, grocer. Rent, 26l. 10s. Upset Price 150l. Sterling.

Apply to James Knox, writer, Edinburgh, who will shew the articles of roup and title deeds.

Not to be repeated.

HOUSE IN SOUTH BRIDGE STREET.

There is to be exposed to sale by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse in Edinburgh, on Monday the 15th July 1799, at one o'clock afternoon,

THAT DWELLING HOUSE, No. 7, in South Bridge Street, the 1st floor above the Shops, consisting of four rooms, kitchen, closets, and other conveniences, with two cellars belonging thereto, now possessed by the Commissioners under the Income Act. Rent, 40l. Upset price 525l.

The progress of writs and conditions of sale may be seen at the shop of Mr Angus McDonald, haberdasher, No. 7, South Bridge Street.

LANDS IN EAST LOTHIAN FOR SALE.

THE ESTATES of NINEWAR and WESTRARN, in the neighbourhood of Dunbar, are to be exposed to public sale in November next. The particulars will be afterwards advertised, if not previously sold by private bargain.

Apply to Robert Suttie, Writer, No. 9, St John Street.

EDINBURGH RACES.

To be run for, over the SANDS of LEITH, on Monday the 5th August 1799.

THE CITY OF EDINBURGH'S PURSE OF FIFTY GUINEAS Sterling, for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that never won a Purse or Plate of that value, (Hunter's Purse or Plates excepted) carrying 11 stone, the best of three four-mile heats.

His MAJESTY'S PURSE OF ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS, for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, the best of three four-mile heats.

4 years old to carry 7st 4lb | 6 years old to carry 9st 4lb
5 ditto ditto 8 9 | Aged Horses 10 stone.

On THURSDAY the 6th.

On WEDNESDAY the 7th.

THE NOBLEMEN and GENTLEMEN'S SUBSCRIPTION OF FIFTY GUINEAS, for all ages, the best of three four-mile heats.

4 years old to carry 7st 4lb | 6 years old to carry 9st 4lb
5 ditto ditto 8 2 | Aged Horses 8 13

On THURSDAY the 8th.

FIFTY GUINEAS for REAL HUNTERS, that have hunted in Scotland, and never won Fifty Pounds (Hunter's Plates and Matches excepted) carrying 12 stone, the best of three four-mile heats. Such Horses, &c. as shall enter for this Purse, must be certified, at the time of entrance, to have been real hunters of last season, and to have been regularly hunted with an established pack of hounds, under the hand or hands of the proprietor of such hounds.

On FRIDAY the 9th.

THE LADIES PURSE OF FIFTY GUINEAS, for all the best of three four-mile heats.

4 years old to carry 7st 4lb | 6 years old to carry 9st 12lb
5 ditto ditto 8 5 | Aged Horses 9 1

The winner of one Plate or Purse this week to carry 4lb extra.

On SATURDAY the 10th.

A PURSE for the BEATEN HORSES, &c. of the week, the best of three four-mile heats.

The Horses to be booked by the Town-clerk of Leith, at his Office, on Saturday preceding the Races, between the hours of four and six afternoon, when the horses are to be shown, the proper certificates produced, and the usual entry-money paid.

There will be Ordinaries during the Race Week at Fortune's, and Assemblies, as usual; and no Scaffolds to be erected without the permission of the Magistrates of Leith, or their Clerk.

Stewards: The Right Hon. the EARL of CASSILIS, LORD ROLLO, and COLONEL CAMPBELL of Blythwood.

Office of Commercial Commissioners for the City of Edinburgh and its Liberties.

North East Corner of the Royal Exchange—13th June, 1799.

ATTENDANCE will continue to be given at this Office, every lawful day, between the hours of One and Four, (with exception of Saturday) for receiving sealed statements of INCOME from those engaged in trade or manufacture, or from public bodies, &c. within the City or County of Edinburgh, who incline to take the option of being assessed by these Commissioners, in terms of law.

As at the time such statements are delivered, certificates are given by the Commissioners, or their Secretary, containing private marks by which the assessments are afterwards to be made, they think it their duty to recommend the statements of Income to be brought here by the persons interested, or to be sent by a confidential clerk.

By order of the Commercial Commissioners, WILLIAM INGLIS, Sec.

INCOME ACT.

CITY & ROYALTY OF EDINBURGH INCOME TAX OFFICE, No. 7, SOUTH BRIDGE STREET, 24th June 1799.

THE ASSESSOR having completed the delivery of the Notices in terms of the Act of Parliament, to the Householders within the City and Royalty of Edinburgh, the Commissioners will give attendance at this Office, every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday, from 12 o'clock noon, to 3 o'clock afternoon, till further notice, for carrying the purposes of the Act into execution.

Being informed that sundry persons, founding upon a mistaken idea, have supposed that from the amount of their income, they are intitled to deduct the rent of their dwelling-house, and maintenance of their family, holding the overplus to be the sum liable in assessment, the Commissioners find it necessary to give notice, that no such deductions are allowed by the Act of Parliament, and that such persons as have already made the return of their income, formed upon these erroneous principles, may have it in their power to correct the mistake, they are desired to call at this Office, during the hours of the Commissioners attendance.

The Commissioners further beg leave to call the attention of persons liable in the income tax, to the following particulars, with respect to which, there is reason to believe, that a misrepresentation has taken place.

1st, With regard to the Assessed Taxes, it is only the single rate, or annual duty, that was paid before the late act of the 28th of his Majesty, commonly called the Aid and Contribution Act, that is allowed to be deducted from the amount of income, and not the triple assessment.

2d, That the sum paid last year as a Voluntary Contribution for carrying on the war, is not to be deducted from the income of the person who contributed the same.

3d, That the expense of children at public Schools, or Universities, or boarded with private Teachers, is not a deduction warranted by law, these children being considered as forming a part of the family, and no other allowance is to be given for them, than the rate of per centage upon the sum to be assessed, according to the number of children, as fixed by the act.

The Commissioners of the County, having published in the different newspapers, the particular deductions allowed in the act, it is necessary that every person peruse and consider the same before returning the statement of income, agreeable to one or other of the forms in the notice delivered by the assessor.

By order of the Commissioners, JOHN GRAY, Clerk.

TO LET FURNISHED.

For one or more years,

THAT DWELLING-HOUSE in Surgeon's Square, possessed by Mrs Sharp, with every convenience for a genteel family. The open situation of the House, and its vicinity to the High School and College, fit it particularly for a young family or boarding-house.

For particulars apply at the house, or to James Grant, W. S. No. 1, Thistle Street.

SALE OF A HOUSE IN CASTLE STREET.

TO BE SOLD.

THAT HOUSE IN SOUTH CASTLE STREET which belonged to Mrs McDowell of Castlecamp, consisting of a parlour story, entering from the street, and a sunk storey, with cellars, &c.—There is also a stable and coach-house belonging to the house.—The entry may be immediately.

The premises may be seen any lawful day.

Apply to Archibald and John Todd, writers to the signet.

HOUSES IN THE VICINITY OF EDINBURGH.

To be sold by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Monday the 8th day of July, at one o'clock, P. M.

THESE TWO DWELLING HOUSES, consisting of three rooms and a kitchen each, (being the first storey of the large tenement lately built at Hope Park End) a little to the south of the Chapel of Ease, disposed by Mr John Bigger to Captain William Lockhart, and presently possessed by Mr Ja. Reid and Miss Hendry, the former at 10l. 10s. and the other at 8l. 10s. with two garret rooms, which let at 30s. and two garret places for lumber, and two cellars. The Houses are neatly fitted up, and have the privilege of a back entry to the Meadow by a gravel walk.

The title deeds and conditions of roup to be seen in the hands of H. Davidson, W. S. No. 11, South Hanover Street.

FORGERY.

A FORGERY having been discovered on the Five Shilling Notes of the Greenock Banking Company, in imitation of their plate, which was signed by Thomas Smith, accountant to the Bank, and James Patten, the cashier.

The Greenock Banking Company hereby offer a reward of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS to any person or persons who shall discover the perpetrators of this forgery, to be paid upon the conviction of one or more of the parties guilty.

The Forged Notes are done upon paper without the water mark, and the device (particularly the building), signature, and engraving in general are so ill executed, as to be easily distinguished from the real ones.

RUN AWAY.

On the 16th instant, from the Ship DOXATRY of Newcastle, John Hunter Master.

HUGH BURN of Aberlady, East Lothian, Scotland, about 18 years of age, stout made, about five feet three inches high, rather marked with small pox, dark brown hair, which he wore loose; had on when he went away a sailor's dress.

Whoever will apprehend and bring the said apprentice to Richard Colthart of Gateshead, shall receive a reward of Two Guineas; over and above all reasonable expenses; and who ever harbours the said apprentice after this public notice, shall be prosecuted. And if the said apprentice will voluntarily return to his master he will be kindly received.

Newcastle upon Tyne, 21st June 1799.

PORT-SETON HOUSE IN EAST LOTHIAN TO LET.

To be LET, unfurnished, for four or more years as can be agreed upon, and entered to immediately.

THE said HOUSE of PORT-SETON, consisting of a large kitchen, with a water-pipe and scullery, housekeeper's room and lobby off the same, dining-room and drawing-room, with closets off both, four bed-rooms, and closets off the same, one of which is a bed-chamber, garrets fitted up with beds for servants, a large cellar fitted up with catacombs, milk-house, hen-house, washing-house, coach-house, and stable with hay-loft and byre—Also about 3 rods of ground round the house, well inclosed with stone and lime dyke. The tenant to pay all the taxes.

The house lies about nine miles from Edinburgh, about seven from Haddington, one from Tranent, and one from Prestonpans; from which last town a stage coach goes to Edinburgh, and returns every lawful day, and there are good markets in the immediate neighbourhood of the place.

The tenant may be accommodated with one or two grass parks contiguous to the house.

Also to be LET for four or more years.

THE HARBOUR-DUES of Port-Seton.

For further particulars apply to James Mitchell, factor to the Earl of Wemyss, at Haddington.

FARM IN WEST-LOTHIAN TO LET.

To be LET, for 19 years from the term of Martinmas next, THE FARM of PADDOCKHALL, containing 112 Scots acres of arable land, divided into 13 inclosures, partly with stone sunk fences, and partly with ditch and hedge, all fencible; with a complete new HOUSE of two storeys and suitable Offices, to which a tenant may enter immediately.—This farm is advantageously situated in the parish of Carriiden, and is of easy access by good roads from every quarter. It lies about two miles north east from Linlithgow, two and a half miles from Borrowston, and one mile from Blackcraig, where lime can be easily landed from the coast of Fife.

A great part of the Lands is in Hay and Pasture, and about 22 acres are sown this season with barley and oats, and grass seeds, all which a tenant may have at a valuation; besides part of the lands is just now under summer fallow, and a tenant may have what more he chooses for that purpose;—likewise some fields of Basture Grass for his horses and cattle.

Robert Wood, servant at Carriiden House, will show the Farm, and offers for it may be given in to William Maxwell, Esq. of Carriiden, the proprietor, or to Provost James Andrew, Linlithgow.

LANDS IN KINCARDINESHIRE FOR SALE.

THE LANDS and BARONY of THORNTON and PITNAMOON, and others, lying in the parishes of Fordoun and Marykirk, and county of Kincardine, together with the Patronage of the Church of Marykirk, will be exposed to sale in the month of November next, the particulars of which will be specified in future advertisements.

The gross rent of these lands is about 700l. Sterling, and for further particulars, apply to Maxwell Gordon and John Morrison, writers to the signet, who will treat for a private sale.

JUDICIAL SALE OF LANDS IN THE SHIRE OF WIGTOWN.

To be sold by public roup, within the New Session House of Edinburgh, by authority of the Lords of Council and Session, on Wednesday the 3d day of July next, between the hours of four and six afternoon.

ALL and Whole the LANDS and ESTATE of AIRIES, consisting of the Forty Shilling Land of Airies, and Forty Shilling Land of Knockbrake, with the teinds and pertinents, and Part of the Lands of Knocktyrn, all lying in the parish of Kirkcubbin, and shire of Wigtown.

The free rental of the lands, after paying all public burdens and feu duties, is 498l. 16s. 1d. Sterling, and the upset price is 12470l. 12s. 1d. Sterling, being only twenty-five years purchase and all the lands are low rented.

There is an heritable right to the teinds, which are also valued.

The lands hold feu of the Earl of Galloway, for payment of a feu duty of 4l. yearly. They are remarkably well inclosed with stone fences.

The title-deeds of the estate, which are clear, and the articles of roup, are to be seen in the office of Mr Murray, depute clerk of Session, and in the hands of Archibald Todd, W. S. to whom application may be made for further particulars.—Mr William Ross, Stranraer, factor upon the estate, will show the lands.

ADJOURNED SALE.

To be sold by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 3d day of July next, between the hours of two and three afternoon.

LOT 1.

THE Freehold Estate and Barony of MAINS of SOUTHWICK, in the barony of Kirkcubright, consisting of upwards of 1800 acres, English statute measure, of arable pasture; and meadow ground, well inclosed and subdivided, mostly with durable stone dykes. In point of situation the estate is pleasantly situated, being near to the shore of Solway Frith, opposite to Milnyport, 12 miles south of Dumfries, 4 miles west from the mouth of the Nith, and the water of Southwick is navigable up to the lands. There are thriving valuable coppiced woods and plantations, above 40 years growth, on the estate, with an excellent Mahogany-house.—The valuation is L. 472 Scots.—William Baird, over-seer, will shew the premises.

LOT 2. The Lands of DODHOUSE and DODHOUSERIG, 20 miles south of Edinburgh, 11 south of Haddington, on the road to and in the parish of Lauder, and measuring about 1000 acres upwards of 200 thereof have been improved with lime and dung. There is an outcrop of Houses in difficult repair upon the lands, and the tenant will these the same.

Apply to Henry Jardine, writer to the signet, Edinburgh, who will shew the plans of the estates, and inform as to other particulars.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC ROUN.

Within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday 10th July 1799, between the hours of two and three afternoon.

THAT TIMBER YARD lying at the Back of the Assembly Rooms of LEITH, measuring 30 feet in front from east to west on the north side, and 75 feet on the south side or thereby, and 235 feet in depth from south to north, lately occupied by the Principal Officers and Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy, with the whole Houses, Shades, and Loft built thereon.

Any person wishing for a property in Leith of the above description, will find this one of the most eligible in every respect that can be met with.—Apply to James Gibson, W. S. who will conclude a private bargain before the day of sale.

HAWICK MARKETS.

IT is proposed to establish a PUBLIC MARKET for LINEN and WOOLLEN CLOTH, in the Town of HAWICK, County of Roxburgh, at the Fairs, which are held there, in the months of May, July, September, and November, annually, under the authority and protection of his Grace the Duke of Buccleugh, who has right to the Fairs and Markets of Hawick, and of the Magistrates of the Town.

As a considerable quantity of Plain Linen, from One Shilling to Three Shillings and Sixpence, the yard, is now made for Sale in the town and neighbourhood, purchasers may depend upon a good assortment of Plain Linen, both green and bleached, as well as of Sacking and of Hadden. The Woollens will consist of Broad Cloth, Flannels, and Blankets.

The first Market will take place upon Wednesday the seventeenth of July next, the day before St Boswell's Fair, which is held at the distance of fifteen miles only from Hawick. It will be opened at seven o'clock in the morning, on the High Street, near to the Town-house.

Shop Farmers and Wool Dealers will find this a convenient Market for the selling and buying of Wool; and such persons as have only small parcels of Wool for Sale, will be accommodated with warehouse room gratis, by Mr Turnbull of Burnfoot.

Dealers in Horses also are invited to expose Horses to Sale, on their way to St Boswell's Fair. Liberty of the Common Haugh, which is well suited for the purpose, will be given for showing Horses.

In order to encourage the Market, no custom or duty whatever will be exacted for Wool, Woollen or Linen Goods, or Horses exposed to Sale that day.

The MIDSUMMER FAIR of Hawick, hitherto held on the fifth, is to be altered this year to said seventeenth of July; and, if the proposed Market for Linen and Woollen Cloth succeed, said Midsummer Fair will be held in future, on the seventeenth of July, yearly, Sundays excepted; and when the seventeenth of July falls upon a Sunday, it will be held the day before.

HAWICK, MAY 31. 1799.

From the Hon. the Right. Rev. Lord Bishop of CARRISLE.

To Mr. Ching, Apothecary, Cheap-side, London.

I readily embrace the opportunity your letter affords me of adding my testimony to that of the LORD CHIEF BARON in favour of your WORM MEDICINE, my eldest son having, a few months ago, derived very material benefit from the use of it. He had been unwell for several weeks previous to his taking it, appeared pale and emaciated, was languid, and complained frequently of pains in his stomach, head, and side.—The Lord Chief Baron, who had accidentally seen him in this state, fortunately recommended to me the trial of your Worm Lozenges; and that no time might be lost, or any mistake occur in obtaining the genuine medicine, sent me three doses of it. The first of these occasioned a visible amendment; and after the second dose every unpleasant symptom disappeared; but I judged it right to give the third, as the two former had agreed so uncommonly well. From that time my son has been in perfect health; and I certainly attribute his cure wholly to the efficacy of the Worm Lozenges. I have since recommended your Lozenges in several instances; wherein I have the satisfaction to assure you they have uniformly been of great service. I ought to add, that from the nature of the effect produced by them in my son's case, I apprehend his complaints to have arisen from an obstruction between the stomach and viscera.

I am, Sir, Your obedient Servant, J. CARLISLE.

Dec. 7. 1798.

As opening your medicine, on all occasions, Ching's Patent Worm Lozenges are superior to any other medicine, will keep good any length of time, and is all climates.

Sold by the Proprietor Mr Ching, apothecary, Cheap-side, London; Mr R. Scory, apothecary, South Bridge, Edinburgh; Mr Dickson and Mr Inglis, druggists, Dundee; Mr Macdonald, Glasgow; Mr Dempster, Cupar, and by the most respectable vendors of Patent Medicines in every town in the three kingdoms; in boxes at 5s. half boxes, 2s. 6d. and for the benefit of the poor in packets at sixpence and one shilling.

THE very Extensive Sale, and consequently acknowledged Utility of Doctor WAITE'S celebrated WORM MEDICINE, in the form of GINGERBREAD-NUTS, must render them at all times an article well deserving the attention of the Public; and especially at this season, when, from the great abundance and use of Green Vegetables, most children are liable to indigestion, and weakness in the stomach and bowels, and to worms and other disorders arising from this cause. For their efficacy in removing all complaints, the Proprietor's Agent in this place is able completely to satisfy the Public, by reference to many respectable persons, who have happily experienced the good effects of that medicine in their families.

As the power of this medicine, in alleviating many other disorders in the constitution, has already been repeatedly taken notice of in this paper, it will be unnecessary to add more concerning it at present.

Those desirous of information will find it in the bills.

Sold, by appointment of the Proprietors, by the following Agents, in packets at 7d. and 1s. 1d. with printed directions, wholesale and retail—

J. BAXTER, Italian, Warehouse, Edinburgh; And retail by

A. Smith, North Bridge, E. J. Allan and A. Swapp, Dundee

April 16.

In this critical situation I formed a mine, applied scaling ladders to the walls of the town of Acre, and resolved to storm the place. I sprung the mine, but it had a contrary effect, and 3000 of our gallant troops were blown up. The moment the besieged perceived our disaster, they took advantage of it to make a sally, and our troops being unable to sustain the shock, fell back, and above 4000 of them were killed or taken prisoners. We also lost some General Officers. Such is the sad situation in which I am placed, and I have scarcely time to inform you of it.

An officer lately returned from the continent informs us, that in many parts of Germany the people cultivate waste spots of ground with the thistle called *carduus benedictus*, a plant which grows to such a magnitude as often to measure three or four yards in circumference. The leaves and branches they cut pretty final with an engine something like our chaff cutter; and thus they have always a resource for maintaining their cattle when grass, hay, or corn is scarce. He adds that without any other sustenance for many weeks together, the cows yield as much milk, and the horses look as well, and are able to do as much work, as when fed upon hay or corn.

ELLOWS AND OTHERS W. SCHNEIDER.

Lord KENYON:—"Every information ought to be communicated by the insured to the underwriters whether it be important or not important. I think it is the best way to communicate every thing. If that lesson were once learned, insurance causes would very much diminish."

Chemise à la Circe. The waist is marked with three belts, surmounted with an Algerine girdle. The front is in the Turkish style, and the body is ornamented from top to bottom. It has a very coquettish appearance. The materials generally used for these dresses are, *Le Pekin des trois caïfons*, summer taffetas, Chinese morisandre, striped turquois, white crape, muslin, embroidered, worked and plain. Linen, Florence, plain, painted, &c.

—ROYAL REVIEW.—

The guns began the attack, while the riflemen were tending to cover the formation of the cavalry by an advancing fire. An attack was made by squadrons from the right; the flank half-squadrons turned the enemy's flanks, and the riflemen clofed to their wings; a centre squadron charged through, and the flank half-

COURT MARTIAL.

2d ditto, 20th Art. 14th Section
Whatsoever officer, non-commissioned officer, or soldier, shall misbehave himself before the enemy, or shall shamefully abandon or deliver up any garrison, fortress, post or guard, committed to his charge, or which he shall be commanded to defend, shall suffer death, or such other punishment as by a General Court Martial shall be awarded.

A letter from Havre states, that a French fishing-boat, with seven men, being lately driven to sea by a fourth wind and a strong current, from Reeve, an English corvette chafed and took it. Two of the fishermen threw themselves into the sea, hoping to regain the shore; but the English, fearing they would be lost, sent their pinnace after them, and brought them on board; one of them was quite exhausted with fatigue. The English captain, having understood they were really fishermen, with wives and children in want, dismissed them with their boat.

Average price 3s 9½ | Good Dregs 8s per Cwt
Yellow Soap, 2s.—Mottled, 3s.—Curds, 9s
13.1/2
10. 0
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MONOPOLISTS.—We fear that some deep design is on foot to enhance, in an unfair manner, the price of corn, and which we think it our duty to guard the Public against. Our reason for suspicion is this—several paragraphs, lamenting the bad weather, blights, and cold winds that have prevailed, describing their effects as having been most fatal, and regretting the consequent high prices of all the fruits of the earth that must ensue, have been brought to the different news-paper offices, and have been offered to their publication. We hope, the proprietors of news-papers will also be upon their guard against being accessory to what we consider as an attempt to rob the community, and spread discontent among the lower ranks. *Lord Packet.*

The important motion made by Lord Hawkebury in the House of Commons with respect to bread-corn, is calculated to produce the best consequences to the country. We trust that it will be attended with all the advantages which the Noble Lord has in view, for the state of the Corn-market is at this moment extremely critical. There are persons, whom we could name, that have bought up and retain in their hands, quantities of wheat and other corn, from the prospect of a scarcity; which, though we have good reason to hope there is no ground to apprehend, must be guarded against. The measure of Government is calculated to procure an importation, that will keep down the prices here; and we trust it will be pursued with firmness, notwithstanding any clamour that may be raised by the venal or the interested. Meanwhile, the public, by observing whence the clamour arises, will spare us the obnoxious talk of pointing out their oppressors. *Idid.*

PLYMOUTH—June 26.
The Volcano, Explosion, and Sulphur bomb-vessels, with their tenders, and several gun-boats, are collecting in the Sound, and are expected to sail in a few days on a secret expedition, in company with some of the frigates now in the Sound.

PORTSMOUTH—June 27.
This morning the Diadem, of 64 guns, caught fire in the harbour, but which was extinguished with little damage.

LLOYD'S MARINE LIST—JUNE 28.
The Rose, Ness, from Whitby to London, is taken and carried into Bergen.
The Pitt privateer of Jersey, met close to Bourdeaux two English brigs, of 10 or 12 guns, and engaged them four hours, when they got into the river. Some fishermen told Captain Pitt of the Pitt, that they were two English prizes taken by La Reine privateer of Bourdeaux.
The ship from St. Croix, arrived at Liverpool, bring advice of the Apollo of Scotland, one of the West-India fleet, having been run foul of, and sunk.
The Industry, Harvey, from Wilmington to the West-India, has been taken in the West-Indies, retaken, and carried into Tortola.
The Alexander, from Jamaica, is arrived at Portsmouth in 42 days; parted the fleet nine days after sailing.

WINDS AT DEAR.
June 25, S.E.—26, S.W.—27, N.
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Caledonian Mercury.

EDINBURGH—JULY 1.

FROM OUR LONDON CORRESPONDENT.

HOUSE OF COMMONS—June 28.

Petitions were presented for and against the Wet Docks Bill.

Mr DUNDAS obtained leave to bring in a bill to regulate the mode of taking up ships for the East India Company's service.

On the motion for going into a Committee on the Duke of Richmond's Coal Duty bill, Mr GRAY stated, that the parish of All Saints in Newcastle, had commenced a suit for obtaining poor rates out of the Duke of Richmond's pension; he therefore wished that a clause should be adopted securing its contingent right to such rate.

This suggestion was opposed by the ATTORNEY GENERAL and Mr PITT.

The House in a Committee then went through the bill, and the report was ordered to be received on Monday next.

On the third reading of the Port of London improvement bill, a petition was presented by Alderman Curtis from the inhabitants of the Ward of Tower, praying for indemnification on account of the losses which they must sustain by the removal of the West India trade to the Isle of Dogs.

Lord HAWKESBURY said, that the case of the petitioners was already amply provided for in the bill.

The petition being ordered to lie on the table, the bill was read a third time. Several clauses being added by way of rider, Mr Manning moved: as an amendment, the omission of the compulsory clause, which had been largely discussed on a former day.

Lord HAWKESBURY contended that this clause was necessary to encourage the undertaking of so vast a plan, and that it had not been adopted, but on the most mature deliberation of a select Committee, proceeding upon the recommendation of the Trinityhouse and Custom-house, and several Surveyors of ability.

The question that the clause stand part of the bill, being put, was carried by a majority of 53 to 19. The bill was then passed.

The bill for increasing the salaries of the judges was read a third time in the House of Commons on Monday. By the bill as it stood, his Majesty had not the power of granting a pension to judges who had not been in office for the space of fifteen years, nor unless they were sixty-five years of age. After some conversation the latter part of the clause respecting the age was omitted.

Rumours still prevail respecting some revolutionary movements which have been made in the capital of France.

All that has been stated relative to this affair, rests solely on the information which has been given by a lady, who arrived a few days since at Dover, and respecting whom nothing further has transpired.

A treaty of trade and commerce has lately been proposed by the Court of Sweden to that of Peterburgh. According to the outline of this plan, the Swedes are to enjoy the same privileges as the English.

We copy the following paragraph from the Universal Magazine, for September 1789; printed in Dublin by P. Byrne.—P. 296:

"A report goes abroad in Paris, that a Capuchin who died about an hundred years ago, prophesied that it should remain in anarchy and confusion for ten years, at the expiration of which a CHARLES should arrive and re-establish every thing as it was before."

A curious trial for a libel lately took place at Paris, in which the Directory were the prosecutors, and Citizen Metge, formerly a journeyman shoe-maker, and now a lawyer, defendant. Metge wrote and circulated a hand-bill, with the following title:—"The Petition of the Representatives of the People, to our Most Puissant and Sublime Members of the Directory, dated in the first year of the Lethargic Trance of the Republic, at the sign of Violated Liberty, &c." Metge stated himself, on his defence, to be author of the hand-bill, and that he had sent copies of it to the Minister of the Police, and to several Members of the Councils. He was ready to repeat the same conduct again, as he entertained no intention of exciting rebellion against the Government. The jury declared, in their verdict, Metge to be the author of the article in question; but, as he did not appear to have any evil intention, they accordingly acquitted him, very much to the satisfaction of every person present.

CLAUDE BOSWELL, Esq. has taken his seat in the Court of Session by the title of Lord BALMORIO.

The Rev. Mr FITZIMONS has received his indictment to stand trial before the High Court of Justiciary on the 12th inst.

Friday, was laid, the foundation stone for a new Church for the Barony parish of Glasgow, which was consecrated by a suitable prayer from the Rev. JOHN BURNS, the minister of the parish.

A forgery has been discovered on the Five Shilling Notes of the Greenock Banking Company.—*See Advertisement.*

The Alexander, from Jamaica is arrived at Portsmouth, in 42 days, parted the fleet for England, nine days after sailing: the fleet is hourly expected.

By a letter dated 17th ult. from a Lieutenant of the Queen Charlotte, Admiral WHITSHED, passing the Straits of Gibraltar that day; he says he is much afraid that Lord St. VINCENT would finish the business with the French and Spanish fleets, which consisted of 19 fail of the line each, before the arrival of WHITSHED's squadron.—This is the latest account we have from that fleet.

Captain CROCKAT, of the Amsterdam Packet, is arrived at Greenock, previous to his leaving New York; the Ocean, KEMP, had arrived there from Vera Cruz. The Fanny, BRAYNE, is also arrived at New York from Greenock.

The Jean, GARDNER, is arrived at Greenock from New York.

The Bufo sloop of war, Capt. OMMANEY, failed from Hull 28th ult. having under convoy for Archangel five ships for that port and seven from London. It is understood that Capt. Ommaney will run the coast down to Leith, in order to take under his protection the ships that are in readiness at the different ports, when he will take his departure, and convey them to a certain latitude.

It is reported that the British cruisers on the coast of Norway are particularly vigilant, and have lately taken several privateers and retaken several merchant ships entering those ports. Would the King of Denmark join the allies against France, they would not be able to get into port any vessel captured in the North Sea; and as they have no trade but privateering, what shipping they have left must then lay entirely unemployed.

The Anacron privateer, that lately took the Rover, Guildford, &c. is the same vessel that carried NAPPER TANNY to Hamburg; the Captain being disappointed of getting the Rover into port, declares his determination to destroy every British vessel he meets with. We hope that our cruisers will take the most effectual way of preventing the execution of his threat, by bringing him into a British port.

COURT OF SESSION.

The number of causes which come before this Court is very great, and as many of these are of much importance, involving property of immense value, and frequently depending on points of law nice and intricate, so they necessarily require minute investigation and deliberate study. Volunition, however, as these are, yet it is a fact highly honourable to the Court and beneficial to the country, that such has been the sedulous application of their Lordships to the public business, that at present so few causes remain on the inner-house roll that what is entered the one week meets a decision the next.

Comparatively speaking, very few causes are taken to appeal, and of these the judgments in the Court of Session have, with a few exceptions, been affirmed.—This is a circumstance of considerable importance to the country, as it is corroborative of that wisdom, ability, and integrity which pervades the administration of the law, and is calculated to impress the minds of the people with veneration and respect for those Judges whose opinions are thus guided by a perspicuous knowledge of the law, and who apply it with so impartial a view to material justice. This circumstance is farther material, as it tends to repress the spirit of litigation, and leads parties to a satisfied acquiescence in the decision that is given.

What fashionable lover ever painted his passion for a lovely mistress with such laconic tenderness and effect as a village cherisher of Manover, who on the death of a young and beautiful country girl, with whom he was enamoured, after erecting in the cemetery of the cathedral a sepulchral stone to her memory, carved in an artless manner the figure of a blooming rose on its front, and inscribed beneath it these words, *C'est ainsi qu'elle fut*—"This thus she was."

SPORTING.—Hambletonian is in training for the great York Sweepstakes. Diamond, it is believed, will run against him.

PIGEONS.—Pigeons are in Persia a subject of game-laws. To be entitled to the privilege of killing a wild pigeon, it is necessary to be a muskman; and we learn from Tavernier, that Christians have frequently become Mahometans, to entitle them to this qualification of killing game.

DUBLIN—June 27.

The house and beautiful domain of Lattrellstown have been purchased by LUKAS WHITE, for 25,000l. It is also rumoured that a new banking-house is about to be established in this city, the proprietors of which are to be M^r. T. WHITE, S. DICK, and J. LINDSAY.

BIRTH.
Mrs HAMILTON, Nicholson's Square, of a son, on Saturday last.

DIED.
At Grathwaite-hall, near Kendale, on the 23d Sun, Mrs JANE WADDE, relict of Eaglesfield Griffith, Esq. Edin.

At Woodbank, on the 25th ult. Miss Ross, eldest daughter of the late John Ross Esq. of Balkill.

ETIQUETTE.

TO THE
PRINTER OF THE CALEDONIAN MERCURY.

SIR,
An occurrence upon a late occasion, in point of etiquette, renders the present letter necessary, in order that an article of precedence may be settled and understood. The rank and precedence of peers are well known and fixed, as also of baronets and knights, but the children of baronets, particularly their unmarried daughters, are not entitled, so far as I have observed, in any treatise of precedence, to take place of married ladies; and yet, in a large party where I happened lately to be engaged, some ladies thought proper to take place of ladies who have numerous families. This, Sir, may appear to you a fracas of no great consequence, but I hope full things of this kind will be attended to. If such rights be given to the children and mistresses, as they can take place, as knights daughters, of their seniors in age, I wish to have it so fixed by the public voice, founded on some authority from books of heraldry and precedence, which I am as yet unacquainted with, nor do I understand that any such rule exists. Independent of the honour and respect justly due to the state of matrimony, it is not agreeable to men of rank and of ancient families, that such claims be made by the children of knights, unless it is perfectly established and fixed, otherwise they will not be invited to the parties of
A MARRIED LADY.
St Andrew's Square, 24th June 1799.

TO THE
PRINTER OF THE CALEDONIAN MERCURY.

YOUR excellent paper, which about the time of Lord Nelson's victory, made me a man of considerable consequence, has been now the occasion of my appearing in a very different point of view. I shall explain myself. Having been long in the Turkey trade, I a few years ago retired to a small property near my native town, where I was soon admitted a member of a very keen newspaper reading club. From the circumstance of my having been frequently at Alexandria, and once even at Grand Cairo, when your paper arrived with the account of the glorious victory of the Nile, and of Buonaparte's expedition to Egypt, I became a kind of oracle, solving many knotty points, and answering all the questions which were put to me, as well at the club, as in my own family, much to the satisfaction and admiration of both. But the other day, as bad luck would have it, your paper, full of the accounts of the complicated movements of the armies in Italy, Germany, and Switzerland, had been just received by the club, who long before I arrived, were hard at it, with their books of maps displayed on the table, which leaning three deep over one another, in a very hot day, and a very close room, they were consulting most eagerly and most unsuccessfully. In vain were spectacles put on noses which had never been so fuddled; in vain were several fore-fingers travelling slowly, with much circumspection, and many lateral excursions from Rome to Milan, from Milan to Turin, from Turin to Zurich, and from Zurich to Strasburg; but they, poor souls, could make nothing of it.

So many places, rivers, rivulets, mountains, mountains, valleys, lakes, and bridges every moment occurring in the paper, which they could not find in the map, so many hard names of Field-Marshal, Princes, Counts, Generals, Colonels, Majors, Captains, Lieutenants, Ensigns, Sergeants, and Corporals, many of which they could not pronounce, had altogether, with the heat of the room, the tobacco, the punch, and the porter, so bewildered, muddled, puzzled, and perplexed the pates of the federal members, that, upon my entering the room rather later than usual, there was an universal shout of, "Here is Mr SNUG at last, we shall have all cleared up now." I at once saw that it was expected I should know as much about *Alexandria*, as about *Alexandria*; about the *Thur* and the *Thor*, as about the *Nile*. For scarcely had the general noise subsided, when Mr LINNIMENT the apothecary instantly opened, "Pray, Sir, where is *Gargellen*, *St Gall*, *Candia*, *Klaffer*, and *Keeblis*?" But he was interrupted by Dr MARROW the parson, who with his wig pushed very far back, and wiping the sweat from his forehead, exclaimed, "Where is *Disfontis*, *Mount Slapin*, *Flum*, *Flams*, *Singen*, and *Andelfingen*? by the bye, Mr SNUG, do you not take this to be an error of the press for *Angel-fingen*? here is *Syon*, but where is *Paradies*?" "Upon my word," answered I, "Doctor, you should know best." I was at last addressed by old Captain FRILL, with his dry brown cheeks, fair, bald, shining forehead, and a thin cue, at the end of which appeared about six or seven snow-white hairs—"I have served in Germany in my time, but I'll be shot if I ever encountered such names as *Pfaffers*, *Bredelsneider*, and *Kwarpf*; pray, Sir, do pronounce them." "Really, Captain FRILL, you having, as you say, served in Germany, should, in my opinion, rather teach me; but perhaps, it may be some error of the printer." "If this be so Mr SNUG, the printer, who is probably in some corps or other, should therefore know better to drill his types; he should, I say, command his consonants to take open order, and post at the same time some of his vowels in the intervals."

"But Gentlemen (said I) have you read that part of the paper, which, from its title, now strikes me as most likely to be satisfactory, I mean the *Sound Intelligence*?" "Sound Intelligence!" they roared out; "a list of ships! we want none of your wit now, Mr SNUG; we want matter-of-fact information; we want to know where are *Baduz*, and *Bakera*, the two *Zolbrides*, *Schizins*, *Cafa Tisma*, *Ragatz*, *Fimme*, *Se g Murt*, *Mount Foia*, and *Torre di Garafola*?" I had now nothing left for it, but to put my fingers in my ears and to run home; but as I opened the door, I could hear these words, "D—n him, let him go, he knows nothing about your *Egypt*, your *Nile*, and *Alexandria*." I accordingly arrived, much mortified, in my own parlour, expecting however there to meet quietness at least; but how much I was disappointed in this, may perhaps be the subject of another letter, should you relish this one. I am, Sir, your constant reader,
TIMOTHY SAUD.

Care, which has long been reprobated as the "enemy of human life,"—the "canker of joy," &c. is at length proved to be nothing more than a *poker*—Of the spirits which life may require, Even Care may be found an exciter; As we know that by stirring a fire The disturbance but makes it the brighter.

NEWCASTLE RACES 1799.

Monday, June 24, a *Steeplechase* of 20 gr. each, p. 4 & 2. Sir H. Williamson's c. c. Stripling 1. Mr Fletcher's c. Camperdown 2. Mr Wentworth's c. c. Burny 3. Lord Darlington's c. c. Raby 4. Mr Linskill's c. c. and Sir H. T. Vane's c. c. Push forward 4. Stripling the favourite, 1 to 1 against Camperdown, and 4 to 1 against Raby.

Same day, a *Steeplechase* of 20 gr. each, p. 4 & 2. Mr Hutchinson's c. c. Alex 1. Lord Cassin's c. c. 2. Mr Cornforth's dark b. c. 3. Mr Ash's c. c. and Mr Baker's br. f. dr. 4 to 4 upon Alex.

Tuesday 25, 4th *Steeplechase* of 20 gr. each, p. 4 & 2. Lord Darlington's b. h. Polatow 1. Mr Wentworth's ch. h. Tartar 2. Sir Thomas Gascoigne's b. h. Timothy 3. Sir Hod. Williamson's b. h. Sloven 4. Mr Dinskill's g. m. Lily of the valley 5. Mr Welburn's b. h. brother to Camer 6. Mr Oswald's br. h. Pentagruel 7. Mr Wilson's c. h. Little Isaac, Mr James's g. h. Little Scott, and Lord A. Hamilton's b. h. by Drone, did not start. Tartar the favourite, 1 to 2 against Polatow, after the first heat 3 to 1 on Tartar, and after the second heat 2 to 1 on Tartar.

Wednesday 26, 5th *Steeplechase* of 20 gr. each, p. 4 & 2. Mr Field's b. c. by Aston, 3 years old 1. Lord A. Hamilton's c. c. by Wainui, 4 years old 2. Mr Bell's b. m. Scaramouch, 4 years old 3. Sir H. Williamson's Honeycomb, 4 years old 4. Mr Wentworth's c. h. Barnaby, 4 years old 5. Aston against the field, after the heat 4 to 1.

Same day, a *Hunter's Plate* of 20 gr. each, p. 4 & 2. Mr Baker's b. h. Bersible 1. Mr Alderton's c. m. Creeping Kate 2. Mr Davidson's c. h. Columbus 3. Mr Bigg's br. h. Epicure 4. Mr Lambton's c. h. Pumper 5. 6 to 4 Creeping Kate against the field, and 2 to 1 against Bersible.

Thursday 27, 6th *Steeplechase* of 20 gr. each, p. 4 & 2. Mr T. Hutchinson's b. h. Duncan 1. Mr Bantler's b. c. Suwarrow, 3 yrs old 2. Mr Wellburn's b. h. 3. Lord A. Hamilton's b. h. by Drone 4. 6 to 4 the field against Duncan, after the first heat even betting between him and Suwarrow.

Same day, a *Gold Cup*, by a subscription of 20 gr. each. Sir H. Williamson's c. c. Stripling 1. Sir H. T. Vane's b. m. Lopcatcher 2. Lord Darlington's c. c. Raby 3. Mr Hall's c. m. 5 years old 4. Mr Baker's b. c. 3 years old 5. Mr Cockson's c. c. 3 years old 6. Mr Linskill's g. m. Lily of the valley 7. Mr Ash's c. c. Camperdown 8. Mr Storey's c. c. Lord Stratmore's c. c. and Mr Oakford's bay f. dr. drawn. Stripling against the field, and 2 to 1 against Lopcatcher.

ARRIVED AT LEITH—

June 29, Friends Endeavour, Ogilvie, from Dundee, grain—Unity, Carter, from Stockport, goods—Leith Packet, Scott, from London, ditto—Speculation, Sars, from Schien, timber—Andrew and Elizabeth, Pederson, Lasterizer, ditto.

CLAREBOUT—

29, Robins, Spencer, for Kirkwall—Alexander, Miller, for Thurso—Glasgow Packet, Hall, for London—Edinburgh Packet, Wilson, for Hull—Providence, Innes, for Limekilns, all with goods—Wind W. moderate.

SEQUESTRATIONS, &c.

June 26.—PETER ROSE WATSON of Western, Corn and Cattle-dealer and Brewer—Creditors to meet in Andrew Pirie's, vintner in Elgin, on the 24th July, at noon, to name an interim factor; and on the 24th August, to choose a trustee.

27.—ANDREW TROMBON, Grocer in Glasgow—Creditors to meet in George Burn's, vintner there, on the 31st July, at one P.M. to name an interim factor; and on the 2d August, to choose a trustee.

MAIN and JOHNSTON, Linen-drappers in Edinburgh—Creditors to meet in the Royal Exchange Coffee-house, on the 10th July, at one P.M. to name an interim factor; and on the 26th July, to choose a trustee.

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2. Europe divided into Kingdoms and States.

3. The United States of America.

The Editor expects to have in his power to give in No. 13, a Map of the present Seat of War, an article not proposed in his Prospectus.

Europe was given in a few copies in a former number, but it was so improperly executed, that the Editor cannot engrave a new one to replace it.

LANDS

In the Parishes of *Marston* and *East Kilbride* for Sale.

To be sold by public roup, upon Friday the 2d of August, at twelve o'clock noon, in the house of John Howie, Mearns Kirk.

ABOUT SIXTY ACRES of GOOD LAND in NEWTON of MEARNS, in the following Lots: 1. Lot 1st—Toddhill Bank, possessed by Mr Taylor.

2d—Two Enclosures, possessed by Mr Hugh Gray.

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4th—South Croft, in whole or divided.

5th—The Fens of Pedmire, and Three Acres of Land.

6th—The Fens of Wilson's Mailing, and Two Acres of Land.

7th—The Remainder of the Farm of Pedmire.

AND

Upon Wednesday the 7th of August, at twelve o'clock noon precisely, there is to be sold by public roup, within the Exchange Coffee-house, Glasgow.

THE LANDS of SHIELDBURN, in the parish of Kilbride, ten miles distant from Glasgow, consisting of 310 acres or thereabouts of good arable and meadow land, either in whole or in the following Lots: 1. Lot 1st—Craigend, possessed by William Axbuckle.

2d—Shieldburn, possessed by David Warneke.

3d—Fieldhead, possessed by William Aikenhead.

4th—Crofthead, possessed by William Craig.

5th—Dikenshield, possessed by Thomas Russell, and Two Parks of Windyhill.

6th—Lockhart Shield, in the possession of the proprietor.

7th—The Gorn and Lint Mills belonging to these Lands, called Craig Mill, with a House and Offices, and an Acre of Land contiguous thereto.

8th—Shieldburn Park and Lint Quarry, with the House and Yards, possessed by John Paton, and others.

For further particulars apply to Mr Graham, who will treat for a private bargain.

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